

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges**  
**Year to Date Summary Report**  
**Based On Number of Reported Cases**  
**January - December 2002 (Final update)**

Juvenile Court **Dickson**  
Court Number **22**

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January - December 2002 (Final update) **1,114 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting **772 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges** *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

1	OR	0.08% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
1	OR	0.08% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.08% Other Sexual Offenses
7	OR	0.55% Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
53	OR	4.18% Assault
1	OR	0.08% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
1	OR	0.08% Arson
2	OR	0.16% Aggravated Burglary
60	OR	4.73% Theft of Property
24	OR	1.89% Vandalism
1	OR	0.08% Forgery
1	OR	0.08% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
10	OR	0.79% Burglary
12	OR	0.95% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle

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1	OR	0.08% Cruelty to Animals
2	OR	0.16% Sale of Controlled Substances
5	OR	0.39% Other Drug Offenses
56	OR	4.42% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
2	OR	0.16% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
6	OR	0.47% Evading Arrest
3	OR	0.24% Escape
5	OR	0.39% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
55	OR	4.34% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
7	OR	0.55% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
2	OR	0.16% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
5	OR	0.39% Filing a False Police Report
4	OR	0.32% Criminal Impersonation
5	OR	0.39% Disorderly Conduct
6	OR	0.47% Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.08% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
158	OR	12.46% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
1	OR	0.08% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
1	OR	0.08% Contempt of Court
27	OR	2.13% Violation of Probation
9	OR	0.71% Violation of Aftercare
69	OR	5.44% Unruly Behavior
78	OR	6.15% Truancy
49	OR	3.86% In-State Runaway
1	OR	0.08% Out-of-State Runaway
4	OR	0.32% Possession of Tobacco Products
60	OR	4.73% Violation of a Valid Court Order
16	OR	1.26% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
59	OR	4.65% Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
5	OR	0.39% Custody
0	OR	0.00% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
220	OR	17.35% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
171	OR	13.49% Other
<b>1,268</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.00% Total</b>

Of the 1,114 Cases, There Were  
**Referral Source**

1,268 Referral Sources

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408	OR	32.2% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
112	OR	8.8% Were Referred By Parents
39	OR	3.1% Were Referred By Relatives
53	OR	4.2% Were Referred By Self
153	OR	12.1% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
51	OR	4.0% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
276	OR	21.8% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
63	OR	5.0% Were Referred By Court Staff
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Social Agency
5	OR	0.4% Were Referred By Other Court
99	OR	7.8% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
7	OR	0.6% Other
<b>1,268</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

Of the 1,114 Cases, There Were  
**Intake Actions**

1,268 Intake Actions

1,182	OR	93.2% Petition Filed
13	OR	1.0% Motion Filed
38	OR	3.0% Citation Processed
2	OR	0.2% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
1	OR	0.1% Other
32	OR	2.5% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
<b>1,268</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

Of The 1,114 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

24	OR	2.2% Non-Secure Placement
22	OR	2.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
11	OR	1.0% Unknown
1,057	OR	94.9% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
<b>1,114</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**Placement After Secure Detention Hearing****Dickson**  
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9	OR	0.8% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
4	OR	0.4% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
23	OR	2.1% Shelter Facility/Group Home
7	OR	0.6% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
11	OR	1.0% Unknown
1,060	OR	95.2% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
<b>1,114</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

During January - December 2002 (Final update) Dispositions or Adjudication

772 Children

**Age of Child At Referral**

182	OR	23.6% Birth Through Age 10
28	OR	3.6% Ages 11 Through 12
91	OR	11.8% Ages 13 Through 14
235	OR	30.4% Ages 15 Through 16
217	OR	28.1% Age 17 Through 18
11	OR	1.4% Age 19 And Over
8	OR	1.0% Unknown/Not Reported
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**Sex of Child**

444	OR	57.5% Male
302	OR	39.1% Female
26	OR	3.4% Unknown
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**Race of Child**

605	OR	78.4% White
60	OR	7.8% African American
1	OR	0.1% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
6	OR	0.8% Mixed Race
100	OR	13.0% Unknown
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

Of the 772 Children Referred

**Hispanic Origin**

15	OR	1.9% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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**Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral**

158	OR	20.5% Living With Both Biological Parents
11	OR	1.4% Living With Father And Stepmother
27	OR	3.5% Living With Mother And Stepfather
256	OR	33.2% Living With Mother
56	OR	7.3% Living With Father
52	OR	6.7% Living With Relatives
1	OR	0.1% Living With Adoptive Parents
11	OR	1.4% Living With Foster Family
13	OR	1.7% Living In A Group Home
0	OR	0.0% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.1% Living In An Institution
3	OR	0.4% Living Independently
178	OR	23.1% Unknown
5	OR	0.6% Other
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**School Enrollment of Child**

506	OR	65.5% Were Enrolled In School
54	OR	7.0% Were Not Enrolled In School
212	OR	27.5% Unknown
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**Last Grade Completed By Child**

1	OR	0.1% Too Young For School
0	OR	0.0% Pre-School
5	OR	0.6% Finished Kindergarten
7	OR	0.9% Finished Grade 1
6	OR	0.8% Finished Grade 2
7	OR	0.9% Finished Grade 3
5	OR	0.6% Finished Grade 4
7	OR	0.9% Finished Grade 5
16	OR	2.1% Finished Grade 6
19	OR	2.5% Finished Grade 7
46	OR	6.0% Finished Grade 8
63	OR	8.2% Finished Grade 9
82	OR	10.6% Finished Grade 10
133	OR	17.2% Finished Grade 11
74	OR	9.6% Finished Grade 12
1	OR	0.1% Non-graded Special Education
6	OR	0.8% GED
3	OR	0.4% Graduated
27	OR	3.5% Never Been In School
264	OR	34.2% Unknown
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**Enrolled In Special Education**

56	OR	7.3% Were Enrolled In Special Education
469	OR	60.8% Not Enrolled In Special Education
247	OR	32.0% Unknown
<b>772</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

**NOTE:** In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		2,820 Specific Case Outcomes
84	OR	2.98% Case Dismissed
1	OR	0.04% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled
149	OR	5.28% Held Open For Review
120	OR	4.26% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
0	OR	0.00% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
0	OR	0.00% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
35	OR	1.24% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
1	OR	0.04% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
1	OR	0.04% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
6	OR	0.21% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
1	OR	0.04% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
291	OR	10.32% Fine
278	OR	9.86% Public Service
44	OR	1.56% Restitution
2	OR	0.07% Runaway Returned
35	OR	1.24% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
24	OR	0.85% House Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Released From Probation
1	OR	0.04% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
61	OR	2.16% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
0	OR	0.00% Other Intensive Probation
40	OR	1.42% DCS Probation
172	OR	6.10% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
12	OR	0.43% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

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37	OR	1.31% Order of Reference To DCS
558	OR	19.79% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Continued
60	OR	2.13% Custody Changed
0	OR	0.00% Custody Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
265	OR	9.40% Child Support Granted
4	OR	0.14% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
538	OR	19.08% Other
<b>2,820</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.00% Total</b>

**Disposed By**

Of the 1,268 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

1,217	OR	96.0% Disposed By The Judge
51	OR	4.0% Disposed By The Referee
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
<b>1,268</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>

Of The 1,114 Cases Disposed,

The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The

1,268

Referral Reasons Was:

43	OR	3.4% Dismissed
2	OR	0.2% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
470	OR	37.1% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
298	OR	23.5% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
27	OR	2.1% Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.0% Pretrial Diversion
1	OR	0.1% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
393	OR	31.0% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
34	OR	2.7% Case Held Open
0	OR	0.0% Other
<b>1,268</b>	<b>OR</b>	<b>100.0% Total</b>